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No. 00-9285-CFH Title: Walter Mickens, Jr., Petitioner
v.
CAPITAL CASE - John Taylor, Warden

Docketed: April 5, 2001 Court: United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

Entry	Date	Proceedings and Orders
	Apr 5 2001	Application (00A874) for a stay of execution, submitted to The Chief Justice.
	Apr 5 2001	Petition for writ of certiorari and motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis filed. (Response due May 5, 2001)
	Apr 11 2001	Brief of respondent in opposition filed.
	Apr 16 2001	Application (00A874) referred to the Court by the Chief Justice.
	Apr 16 2001	Application (00A874) granted by the Court.
	Apr 16 2001	Petition GRANTED. SET FOR ARGUMENT November 5, 2001. **********
	Apr 16 2001	The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted limited to the following question: Did the Court of Appeals err in holding that a defendant must show an actual conflict of interest and an adverse effect in order to establish a Sixth Amendment violaton where a trial court fails to inquire into a potential conflict of interest about which it reasonably should have known?
	May 2 2001	Order extending time to file petitioner's and respondent's briefs on the merits. The time for filing petitioner's brief on the merits has been extended to and including July 19, 2001. The for filing respondent's brief on the merits has been extended to and including September 4, 2001.
	May 29 2001	Motion of petitioner for appointment of counsel filed.
	Jun 18 2001	Motion DISTRIBUTED. June 21, 2001 (page 20)
	Jun 25 2001	Motion for appointment of counsel GRANTED and it is ordered that Robert J. Wagner, Esquire, of Richmond, Virginia, is appointed to serve as counsel for the petitioner in this case.
	Jul 13 2001	Joint appendix filed.
	Jul 13 2001	Brief of petitioner Walter Mickens, Jr. filed.
	Jul 19 2001	Motion of Legal Ethicists, et al. for leave to file a brief as amici curiae filed.
	Aug 15 2001	LODGING consisting of 20 bound copies of related joint appendix material submitted by counsel for the parties.
	Aug 16 2001	CIRCULATED.
	Aug 22 2001	Record filed.
	Aug 24 2001	Record filed.
	Aug 31 2001	Brief amicus curiae of Criminal Justice Legal Foundation filed.
	Sep 4 2001	Brief amicus curiae of United States filed.
	Sep 4 2001	Brief of respondent John B. Taylor, Warden filed.
	Sep 4 2001	Motion of the Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided

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Entry	Date	Proceedings and Orders
		argument filed.
	Sep 17 2001	Reply brief of petitioner Walter Mickens, Jr. filed.
	Sep 24 2001	Motion of Legal Ethicists, et al. for leave to file a brief as amici curiae DISTRIBUTED.
	Sep 24 2001	Motion of Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argumentDISTRIBUTED.
	Oct 1 2001	Motion of Legal Ethicists, et al. for leave to file a brief as amici curiae GRANTED.
	Oct 1 2001	Motion of the Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument GRANTED.
	Nov 5 2001	ARGUED.